

The Court of Appeals reversed  
case of Richard vs. Goodpastor.

Born, Sept. 27th, to Dr. and Mrs.  
Frank Wells, of Craig, a daughter.

Born, Sept. 22d, to Mr. and Mrs.  
Newton Cassidy, of Salt Well, a  
daughter.

What horse will win the great  
\$5,000 Transylvania at Lexington,  
October 8th?

The case of Ault vs. Apperson  
from Bath county in the Court of  
Appeals was affirmed.

Hon. S. J. Pugh and W. L. Lurie  
Thomas will debate the political  
issues at the Court-house here  
Tuesday, Oct. 6th.

156 horses in the 2:15 list, and  
37 in the 2:10 list entered in the  
races to be decided in the great  
Lexington trots, Oct. 6 to 16.

Elder R. T. D. Zimmerman will  
speak at Fasset's school-house  
next Saturday at 3 p. m. He is  
willing to divide time with anyone.

The largest trotting stake in the  
world, Kentucky's \$25,000 Futurity,  
will be decided October 6th,  
the first day of the big Lexington  
trots.

NOTICE.—I wish to inform the  
ladies of Bethel and vicinity that I  
have located at Bethel, and am  
prepared to do first-class dress-making.

MISS KATIE WARNER.

BUILDING.—John Burns, colored,  
of Oxford, Ohio, has contracted to  
erect a house built on the  
site of his house burned down  
street, during the big  
fire. It has begun on it.

Mrs. Polly Frazier died last  
Thursday of last week, of  
diseases incident to advanced age.  
She was 77 years old. Interment  
Friday at the Old Virginia burying  
ground.

DROPPED DEAD.—Last Sunday  
Wm. Shramble hired a horse and  
buggy of Ratliff & Burbridge, of  
Mt. Sterling, and drove to Forge  
Hill. Upon reaching that place  
the horse dropped dead.

ESCAPED.—Cole Shelton, in jail  
on a charge of fighting Helen  
Trumbo, both colored people, was  
let out of his cell last Thursday  
and he took the opportunity to es-  
cape. He was seen by Jailer Robert  
Hart was setting on the prisoners.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The fall term  
of Sixth Circuit Court will convene  
next Monday. The docket is made  
up as follows:

1. *Clark vs. Clark*, 21 appear-  
ances; 18 old equity and 17 appear-  
ances; 74 old Commonwealth and  
31 appearances.

2. *John Clark the Nominee*.—John  
A. Clark, son of James Clark, de-  
ceased, was nominated in district  
convention here Saturday as a  
Democratic candidate for Magis-  
trate to fill out the unexpired term  
of Squire Wm. H. Williams, de-  
ceased. The attendance was small,  
as Mr. Clark had no opposition.

BATH TROTS SALES IN LOCH-  
VILLE.—Sept. 23d.—1 hhd. lugs at  
\$6.40; 14 trash, \$3 to 1.

Sept. 23d.—8 hhd. leaf at \$11.25,  
9.50, 9.50 to 8.20; 4 lugs, \$4.70 to  
4; 15 trash, \$3.95 to 1.05.

Sept. 24th.—2 hhd. leaf at \$7.40,  
7; 1 lugs, \$4.80; 10 trash, \$3.20,  
2.95, 1.90 to 1.15.—Courier-Journal.

ACCURATE MARKSMANSHIP.—Al-  
though order was good at the Pres-  
ton reunion in the day-time on  
Friday night it got rougher than  
sand-paper. One of our colored  
men with the booth company  
died up a tin-cup of water to  
drink and somebody shot  
it out of his hand. He and  
other colored folks there  
adjourned for Owingsville on  
singing of a fret.

HAD GOOD SPORT.—The camping  
out party from Bethel neighbor-  
hood composed of Lewis Hardin,  
Wm. Wilson, Marsh and D. D. Evans,  
Frank Wilson and Oscar Palmer  
returned home Monday. They  
made their camp at the mouth of  
Yocum, in Morgan county. They  
had lots of sport, catching plenty  
of fish and having squirrels to eat  
every meal. Their largest catch  
was an 8-pound pike. They think  
of going again next month.

THE WEATHER.—There was a  
heavy frost and some ice on still  
water on Wednesday morning of  
last week. Frost fell again Thurs-  
day morning. The last of the  
week the weather got almost too  
warm for fires. It turned cooler  
with the drizzle of rain Sunday af-  
ternoon and Monday.

IT HAS RAINED SUFFICIENTLY SINCE  
Sunday to break the drought and  
make the ground in proper order  
for fall plowing and sowing of  
small grain.

REUBEN RAGLAND'S DEATH.—  
Reuben Ragland died at his home  
in Petersburg, Va., on the night of  
September 19th. Deceased was a  
native of Bath county and a brother  
of Wm. and James Ragland. He  
was the last survivor of the older  
generation. He was aged  
75 and 80 years. He was  
a very wealthy man,  
the larger part of his  
fortune at the close of  
his life. He handled large  
live stock and was  
esteemed in railroad build-  
ing years of life.

Two-Crop Apples.—Johnson  
Eveman, of Myers Station, Nicholas  
Co., brought to our office last week  
an apple of the Yellow Troutman  
variety that was 7 1/2 inches in  
transverse circumference and was  
one of the second crop grown on  
the same tree this year. The first  
crop matured in July, and while  
they were being gathered the tree  
bloomed out again. The specimen  
mentioned was strongly acid and  
was seedless. The second crop  
would perhaps be useless except  
for cooking purposes.

Fruit trees of several kinds seem  
to have been rendered frockish by  
the severe winters and droughts of  
recent years, and have been prob-  
ably influenced also by the spring-  
killing of the buds, bloom and  
small fruit, as well as by the break-  
ing off of the limbs by that heavy  
snow last May a year ago.

We have noticed instances of  
early apple trees blooming a sec-  
ond time and producing small im-  
mature fruit when the trees had  
been pruned after the first crop of  
fruit was gathered.

TOBACCO REPORT.—EXPRESSLY  
FOR THE OUTLOOK BY J. S. PHILIPS  
& CO., PLANTERS WAREHOUSE.—LOU-  
ISVILLE, KY., Sept. 26, 1896.—We  
can report an animated and active  
market this week on all grades of  
tobacco except the common leaf, lugs  
and tips, and all green-mixed and  
other non-descript darks, which  
continue very low. But all bright  
sorts, running from the lowest fly-  
ings up to the finest leaf, are in  
strong demand. From good to fine  
of this sort sold this week at from  
\$14 to \$26 per hundred. The bright  
or cherry-red leaf and lugs also  
sold well.

Sales to date, 132,459  
" " " " 146,205  
" " " " 2,679  
" " " " 3,453  
Private sales this week, 517  
Receipts for '96 to date, 98,238  
" " " " 108,691  
Receipts this week, 1,403  
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LOUISVILLE LEAF TOBACCO EX-  
CHANGE.—Official quotations.—Sept. 26, '96.

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ators of the Northwest, and from  
the rotten boroughs that had been  
admitted as States, and the broken-  
down Senators from the Southern  
States who had been weighed in  
the balances and found wanting,  
and who unless they could get up  
some new scheme would be relegat-  
ed to the shades of private life.  
They were ready for anything that  
would give them a few more years  
of office. Hence the first thing to  
be considered was that this was  
going to cost a large outlay of  
money. Where was this to come  
from? Then their trust was formed  
to buy silver bullion while it was  
practically worth about 50 per  
cent., and to carry before the voters  
a majority so that they could pass  
a free-coinage bill. Their profits  
on their silver bullion purchased  
would enable them to pay the ex-  
penses of the campaign and leave  
them rich besides. So the trust  
was capitalized at several hundred  
millions of dollars. From the ac-  
tive part some of our Senators are  
taking in the matter, not having the  
money to put in the trust, they  
must furnish the gas as their part  
of the capital, but are to come in  
in the divide. Now, as facts will  
bear me out, let's see. Some of  
our Bath Co. young men had gone  
and located in the silver States;  
after a conference there, they be-  
ing largely connected here in Bath,  
were sent back here, and the first  
thing done was to report to the sil-  
ver Senator from Ky. for instruc-  
tions; and it is not worth while to  
say what the result was. Anyhow  
the word goes out that Mr. Black-  
burn must be returned to the Sen-  
ate, which has failed as yet,  
however. It was necessary to keep  
him there to act in conjunction  
with the silver Republicans of the  
West to handicap President Cleve-  
land and Secretary Carlisle, block  
any legislation that would insure  
prosperity to the people, so they  
could preach hard times and try to  
gull the people into the belief that  
the cause of the hard times was  
owing to stopping the coinage of  
silver, to enable them to carry out  
their conspiracy. I yet have confi-  
dence in the intelligence of the  
American people that they will  
know under such demagoguery so deep  
that we will hear no more from it  
soon.

DEMOCRATIC FARMER.

O. F. Byron and C. G. McAllister  
will speak at Olympia Station Oct.  
3d, at 7 o'clock p. m.

PERSONAL.

J. W. Lane is selling tobacco in  
Louisville this week.

Mrs. Mary Hampton returned  
Friday from Cincinnati.

Eugene Minihan went to Cincin-  
nati Saturday afternoon.

Dr. S. C. Alexander was in Paris  
on business from Thursday until  
Sunday.

Mrs. Susan Ratliff, of near  
Sharpsburg, visited Mrs. J. L. El-  
liott this week.

Mrs. J. J. Nesbitt visited her  
daughter, Mrs. W. P. Strader, in  
Lexington, last week.

Joett J. Lucy and little son  
Hayden Joett went to Lexington  
on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cox, of Lou-  
isville, came Saturday to visit  
Capt. and Mrs. W. P. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coyle have  
gone to housekeeping in one of  
Reuben Guggell's houses on Slate  
avenue.

Mrs. Frank P. Jenkins and two  
daughters, of Lexington, are visit-  
ing the former's brother, Dr. S. C.  
Alexander.

Judge W. S. Guggell went to  
Frankfort on business Tuesday.  
Mrs. Guggell accompanied him as  
far as Lexington.

W. B. McClure, son of Joseph  
McClure, of Lower Flat Creek, was  
this fall to attend a medical  
college at Louisville, to become a  
physician.

T. H. Steele and his wife's father,  
Robert Lyons, have returned  
from Fort Smith, Arkansas, to  
again make their home in Old  
Kentucky, at Mt. Sterling. Their  
many friends are glad to welcome  
them back.

Mrs. Lou Hicks, of Buffalo, Ill.,  
came Wednesday last week to  
spend about three weeks with  
friends and relatives. Mrs. Hicks  
is a daughter of Aaron Williams  
and a sister of the late Squire W.  
H. Williams.

Elder and Mrs. D. N. Manley  
and two children, of Mayslick, are  
visiting the former's brother-in-  
law, John Scott. Elder Manley  
occupied Elder Porter's pulpit in  
the Christian Church Sunday. He  
had been for two years stationed  
as pastor at the church at Bened-  
ict, N. Y. He owns a farm at  
Mayslick and as soon as his house-  
hold goods arrive will go to house-  
keeping there.

M. E. S. CONFERENCE.—Somer-  
set, Ky., Sept. 21.—The Kentucky  
Conference of the Methodist Epis-  
copal Church, South, which had been  
in session at this place since last  
Wednesday, adjourned at noon to-  
day, after one of the most pleasant  
conferences in the history of the  
Church. On Friday the entire Con-  
ference made a trip to Burnside, sev-  
en miles south of here, where they  
visited the Methodist Episcopal  
Training School for Boys. Bishop  
Wilson delivered a fine sermon at  
the court-house Saturday. The fol-  
lowing are the appointments made by  
the Conference for the coming year:  
Lexington District.—K. Reeves,  
presiding elder; Lexington, High-





